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TIBETAN CURRENCY LINK WITH POUND

There are no branches of the Central Bank of China in Tibet, and foreign exchange matters are handled through Indian banks. The linking of Tibetan currency to the British pound will mean greater economic stability in Tibet compared with China.

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